

CONFIDENTIAL RECORD SHEET
DIVISION OF PERSONNEL
B.S.A.

DATE Sept. 26, 1967

Full Name SCANLAN, ROBERT H.

(No initials if you can possibly get full name)

Address 5841 Brookbank

City Downers Grove State Illinois

Age 36 (This is important and should be exact)

Approximate age _____ (To be used ONLY when exact age is not known)

Religion Catholic Nationality _____

Occupation Parts salesman to Cadillac Dealers

Education _____

Weight 190-200 Color White Height 5'11"

Color of hair Black Color of eyes Brown

Outstanding characteristics or interests Very articulate. Smooth talker

Married or single Married Children 3: Rodney 8; others not known
(Number, ages, and names, if possible)

Wife's name Joanne E.

SCOUTING CONNECTIONS:

<u>Unit #</u>	<u>City</u>	<u>State</u>	<u>Office</u>	<u>Date Reg'd.</u>	<u>Date resigned</u>
Pack 99	Downers Grove, Ill.		Comm.	2/67	9/67
Troop 99	"	"	SM	2/67	9/67

Sometime previously had been registered in Chicago Area Council #118

Special recognition _____

Recommended for Confidential File for following reasons:

On camping trip, had Scout remove all his clothing under a so-called initiation as his Green Bar Leader. The scout was fondled by Scanlan, which involved the genital organs. On the Scout stating that he would tell his parents, Scanlan hit him, indicating he would get more such treatment if he did any talking about what had happened to him.

Signed _____

Scout Executive

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September 26, 1967

Mr. Robert M. Johnson
Scout Executive
The West Suburban Council, No. 147

PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL
Re: Robert H. Scanlan

Dear Mr. Johnson:

Thank you for your letter of September 19 and the fine report you submitted concerning Robert H. Scanlan, currently registered as Scoutmaster of Troop 99 and Committeeman in Pack 99, Downers Grove. We have placed this information in our files and have taken steps to delete his name from the respective rosters.

The information you provided will enable us to identify this individual should he ever again attempt to register in the Scouting program.

I am sure you realize that this leaves Troop 99 without any registered unit leader. Undoubtedly, someone is taking over in this position. In order for the unit to continue to receive program inserts in Scouting Magazine, it will be necessary to advise this office of the name of the new unit leader. This should be done by filing with us an additional enrollment for this individual in his new position. Please do not file a separation notice as we have already dropped the current leader.

Sincerely yours,
PERSONNEL & TRAINING DIVISION

Howard Boyd
Director of Registration

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SEPARATION NOTICE

BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

NATIONAL COUNCIL

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REGION NO.	COUNCIL NO.	DISTRICT NO.	PACK
7	147	3	99

PACK _____ Local No. 99 Date 7/3/67
(Type of unit) *
City DOWNERS GROVE State ILL.
District INDIAN TRAILS County DU PAGE
EXPIRATION DATE OF UNIT FEBRUARY 1968

* Indicate pack, troop, post, squadron, or ship.

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE LOCAL COUNCIL

(Note: Separation notices must not be sent to the home office at the time of registration.)

Separation notices should be sent to the home office during the charter year for the following reasons only.

1. When a boy or adult transfers from one unit to another within the council. (Viz., pack to pack, pack to troop, troop to troop, troop to Explorer unit, Explorer unit to Explorer unit.)
2. When an adult changes position within a unit or council.
3. When a Boy Scout or Explorer reaches 18 years of age and registers as an assistant Scoutmaster or an associate Advisor.
4. When a member dies (please include address of individual).

When a boy or an adult pays a registration fee, he is entitled to membership until the expiration date indicated on the membership certificate.

BOYS' NAMES	Show last registration by "C" for Cub Scout, "S" for Boy Scout, "E" for Explorer.	WHY DID THE BOY LEAVE THE UNIT? If he transferred or graduated to another unit, indicate type of unit and number, and city and state. Give specific reason for separation.
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ADULTS' NAMES	In what position was he registered?	Paid in this position?	Reason for separation.
1 ROBERT H. SCANLAN	PC	YES	TRANSFERRING TO SM POSITION IN TROOP 99
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Approved _____ Scout Executive

If more space is required, please use a second sheet and number both.

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APPLICATION FOR ADULT REGISTRATION
BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

THIS APPLICATION MUST BE FILLED OUT PERSONALLY BY EACH ADULT WHO IS NOT LISTED ON THE UNIT CHARTER APPLICATION OR COUNCIL ROSTER AND WHO:

- STATUS
1. Registers for the first time, regardless of position. (New) ☐
2. Has been separated and is reregistering. (Sep.-Re.) ☐
3. Is now registered in this council, separating from current position and transferring to new position. Please submit Separation Notice (No. 6108) for position individual is leaving. (Transfer) ☒
4. Is now registered in another council. (Transfer) ☐

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BOYS' LIFE ☐

Check box at right for subscription to *Boys' Life* magazine.
Half-price membership rate to registered Scouters is \$1.50 a year or 12½ cents a month. See reverse side.

REGION NO.

COUNCIL NO.

DISTRICT NO.

TROOP

(Type of unit)

NATIONAL NO.

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Note to Den Mothers: Where both husband and wife are registered, both receive *Scouting Magazine*. If you would rather that we leave your name off the mailing list, please check box at right. The registration fee is the same in either case. ☐

Name ROBERT H. SCANLAN

(Please print or type full name)

Business phone 823-2151Street or R.F.D. address 5841 BROOKLANDHome phone 969-6534City DOWNERS GROVEState ILLINOISZIP code 60515To serve as SCOUTMASTER

(Position in unit or council)

For unit Scouters only TROOP 99

(Type of unit) (Local No.)

DOWNERS GROVE, ILLINOIS

City and State

From 7/67

(Registration date)

To 2/68

(Expiration date of unit or council)

Council name WEST SUBURBANDistrict name INDIAN TRAILSAge 36U.S. citizen: Yes ☒ No ☐OR Declaration of Intention Yes ☐ No ☐Sex ☐Occupation Marital status Have you been registered in Scouting in any adult capacity? Yes ☒ No ☐Give position PCGive dates, duration, location 2/67 to 2/68 DOWNERS GROVE, ILL.Do you have an unexpired registration card? Yes ☒ No ☐Where paid? WEST SUBURBAN

(Council)

Religious preference (See other side, Article III) CATHOLIC

CHECKED BY

I hereby make application for registration with the Boy Scouts of America and subscribe to its Scout Oath or Promise and Scout Law and its declaration of religious principle as stated on the reverse side of this application. I agree, if a registration certificate is granted, to be guided by the Charter and Bylaws and other regulations of the Boy Scouts of America and the local council.

I transmit herewith \$1 registration fee for 1 year (or a pro rata fee), a portion of which is to cover subscription to *Scouting Magazine* for the period of my membership. For a subscription to *Boys' Life* I will add \$1.50 (or a pro rata amount) as indicated above.

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT Robert H. ScanlanDATE 7/3/67APPROVED BY Mr. Henry G. Carey

(See "Approval" on other side)

TITLE Exe. Off.

SECTION

LOCAL COUNCIL APPROVAL

We hereby approve this person and recommend certificate be issued.

Date JUL 31 1967Signed ALICE DORMAN

(Scout Executive)

JUL 28 1967

Check Adult Registration Fee Paid

<input type="checkbox"/> 1 mo. 10¢	<input type="checkbox"/> 5 mo. 50¢	<input type="checkbox"/> 9 mo. 80¢
<input type="checkbox"/> 2 " 20¢	<input type="checkbox"/> 6 " 50¢	<input type="checkbox"/> 10 " 90¢
<input type="checkbox"/> 3 " 30¢	<input type="checkbox"/> 7 " 60¢	<input type="checkbox"/> 11 " \$1.00
<input type="checkbox"/> 4 " 40¢	<input type="checkbox"/> 8 " 70¢	<input type="checkbox"/> 12 " 1.00

*FOR UNIT SCOUTERS ONLY: A visiting adult alien must indicate country of citizenship on an attached note giving last address there and previous Scouting record, if any. An institutional representative must be a U.S. citizen or have declared his intention.

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THE WEST SUBURBAN COUNCIL BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

811 WEST HILLGROVE AVENUE LA GRANGE, ILLINOIS 60525



September 19, 1967

Mr. Howard Boyd
Director of Registration
National Council, BSA
New Brunswick, New Jersey 08903

PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL


Dear Mr. Boyd:

This communication concerns Mr. Robert H. Scanlan, 5841 Brookbank Avenue, Downers Grove, Illinois.

Mr. Scanlan has been registered as Scoutmaster of Troop 99, Downers Grove, and as a Pack Committeeman in Pack 99, also Downers Grove.

On the basis of the occurrence described in the attached report I am requesting that Mr. Scanlan be removed from registration as a Scouter with the Boy Scouts of America.

Sincerely yours,


Robert M. Johnson
Scout Executive

RMJ:dm

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PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL

Report on Undesirable Conduct of Mr. Robert H. Scanlan While
on a Troop Camping Trip in June of 1967.

Troop 99 of Downers Grove, Illinois went on a camping trip to the Yorkville Scout Reservation of the Chicago Area Council in June 1967. There were five Boy members of the Troop on the activity and Mr. Robert H. Scanlan, the Scoutmaster.

The situation was described that Mr. Scanlan, on an occasion during the camping trip, separated one of the Scouts from the group. He had the Scout remove all his clothing under a so-called initiation as his Green Bar Leader. He had the Scout run around through the vegetation. The Scout was fondled by Mr. Scanlan, which involved the genital organs. The Scout was told by Mr. Scanlan that he should tell no one what had occurred in the so-called "initiation". On the Scout stating that he would tell his parents, Mr. Scanlan hit him, indicating he would get additional such treatment if he did any talking about what had occurred to him. On one other situation in the above described occurrence Mr. Scanlan struck the boy.

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The above matter was brought to the attention of the Scout Executive through an informant on September 12, 1967. An immediate investigation was made by sessions with key personnel of the Troop and neighborhood.

On Saturday afternoon, September 16, 1967, a meeting was held with Mr. Scanlan at the Council Service Center. Present with the Scout Executive was the Assistant Scout Executive, William Monical. Mr. Scanlan was given a description of the occurrence described in the second paragraph of this report. Mr. Scanlan admitted the situation. He stated that at the time he had been doing some drinking and had been taking drugs. He also made a statement of having marital difficulties at the time. He further stated that shortly afterwards he sought psychiatric help and has had six or seven treatments since the incident occurred. He accepted the instruction that he no longer would be registered as a Scouter. He indicated he presently was concerned with a possible move away from the community because of a change in job circumstances.

Personal data on Mr. Robert H. Scanlan is attached for record use.

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CONFIDENTIAL RECORD INFORMATION

ON MR. ROBERT H. SCANLAN

September 19, 1967

FULL NAME Scanlan, Robert H.

ADDRESS 5841 Brookbank, Downers Grove, Illinois

AGE 35 years old (statement on application in February 1967)

RELIGION Catholic

OCCUPATION Parts salesman to Cadillac Dealers

EDUCATION

WEIGHT 190 to 200 pounds

HEIGHT 5' 11" (estimate)

COLOR White (dark complexion)

COLOR OF EYES Dark brown

COLOR OF HAIR Black

MARITAL STATUS Married

WIFE'S NAME Joanne E. Listed as 35 years of age at Registration time.

CHILDREN Three. A son listed as 8 years of age when registered in Cub Pack last February. His name - Rodney.

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS In a previous period he had been registered with the Chicago Area Council.

Registered with Pack 99 as Pack Committeeman 2-67 to 2-68.

Registered with Troop 99 as Scoutmaster 6-67 to 2-68.

Mr. Scanlan is very articulate. A smooth talker.

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